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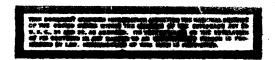
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1. The following figures are reportedly those of the Finance Plan for the period 1 April - 31 December 1955 of the Main Administration for the Iron Industry in the East German Ministry for Heavy Industry. All figures are in thousands of DME.

Goods production costs	1,442,35	2。
Production tax	23,71	2.
Proceeds (Erloese) from goods production	1,455,38	7.
Yield (Ergebnis) B - Loss	13,819	Э.
Total yield - Loss	24,490	5.
Contributions to Director's Fund	9,063	3.

Total loss of Main Administration for the Iron Industry for the period 1 April -31 December 1955 after the increase in Schwarzmetalle prices

Loss in 1st quarter 1955

102,094.

Total loss for 1955

135,653。

During the 1st quarter of 1955, an additional loss in excess of plan of about 10,000,000 DME appeared. Of this total, Eisenhuettenkombinat Stalinstadt (EKO) was responsible for 6,000,000 DME (3,000,000 DME of it Standgeld) loss and VEB Stahlwerk Hennigsdorf responsible for 2,000,000 DME.

2. Steel production on the 850-er rolling train at the VEB Stahlbau Brandeaburg was as follows from the time the train went into operation in October 1953:

1953		<u>1954</u>	
October	2,584.1 tons	March	21,726.7 tons
November	9,611.9 tons	April	20,428.9 tons
December	6,353.1 tons	May	20,262.1 tons
1954		June	21,566.5 tons
January	16,720 ₀ 9 tons	July	20,015.8 tons
February	16,433.3 tons	Augus t	29,114.3 tons

3. The Main Administration for the Tron. Industry is presently headed by Dieter Zauleck. His deputy, as of 8 July 1955, was Willi Salzer who is also Technical

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Director. Second deputy is mehnert (fnu). Party Secretary for the Main Administration is Horst Wegener, considered to be a very unpleasant and dangerous person. The following are some of the other officials of the Main Administration:

Planning Department

Head: Chief Referent for Technical Planning:

Oberreferent for Technical Planning: Labor Force planning, Social and Cultural Matters Ilse Jahner

Chief Dispatcher: Statistician:

Statistician:

Chief Bookkeeper:

Chief Referent for Betriebwirtschaft:

Chief Referent for Finance:

Department for Technology

Head:

Department for Steel Manufacturing (Stahlgewinnung)

Department for Steel Processing (Stahlverarbeitung)

Head:

Head:

Special deputy for consumers goods:

Competent for VEB Stahlbau Brandenburg:

Department for hig Iron Production:

Head:

Competent for VAB Calbe: Competent for VLB Maxhuette:

Competent for Eisenhuettenkombinat Stalinstadt:

Investment De artment

Heads

Technical Allocations Organization (TKO)

Head:

Albert Wiegank (SED member) Herbert Petukat (SED member)

Ursula Woellert

Franz Weber (SED member) Max Bischoff (SED member)

Hannemann (fnu-female)

Otto Menzer (dedicated SED member)

Paul Grueber

Elfriede Lotzmann (Close friend of State Secretary Peter Korn also considered SSD informer)

Wilcke (fnu - female)

Dr. Herbert Mueller (SLD member)

Kutter (fhu)

Karl-Heinz Richter

Guenther Nestroy (SED member)

Karl-Heinz Schuffenhauer

Ernst Hoehner (SED member) Schnabelrauch (fnu)

Ruth Grobeck

Paul Mueller

Harry Tyl (SED Directorate)

Beyer (fnu)

Alfred Bach (SED member)

Hain (fnu - dangerous 3.1) member)

Horst Franz (SED member) Horst Jahn (SED member)

Egmont Heck (SED member)

Lau (fhu) Bartel (fhu)

Joelescheck (Dangerous SED member)

Wolf (fhu)

Doerries (fnu - SaD inclined al-

though not a member)

4. The appended table represents the production of Siemen (SM) ingots and blooms at the V.B Stahlbau Brandenburg from July 1950, when the first furnace for such production went into operation, until August 1954. All figures are given in metric tons.

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Production of SM Blooms and Ingots at VEB Brandenburg

(Figures given in metric tons)

Month	<u> </u>	<u>1951</u>	1952	1953	1954
January February March April May June July August September October November	1,012.7 - 1st furnac	26,430 33,341 37,173 35,749	35,264 31,985 37,634 38,639 43,240 43,176 41,567 45,825 42,035 47,694 42,368 40,563	43,988 44,529 50,368 46,876 52,435 51,970 - 10th furnace 51,829 51,630 48,071 49,191	54,676 45,892 66,004 56,263 67,029 55,488 56,061 60,255
2n 3r 4t)	furnace - in operation 20 July 1950 infurnace - in operation 14 September 1 furnace - in operation 21 November 1 furnace - in operation 21 November 1 furnace - in operation 21 December 1	1950 7th 950 8th 1950 9th	furnace -in operation	on 3 June 1951 on 7 July 1951 on 1 Ney 1953	

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